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No. 549. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. F. FISCHER, R.E., District Engineer, Madura, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madura, 25th January 1875, No. 4,383:—

I HAVE the honor to bring to your notice that Sub-Collector Mr. Bliss was, it would appear, in England from the 16th to 21st January 1874, and in India travelling to rejoin his appointment on return from privilege leave on the 26th

1 Copy of the Controller's letter, to the Dindigul Range Officer, No. 98, of 9th December 1874.
1 Copy of the Sub-Collector's letter, to the Range Officer, No. 513, of 29th December 1874.

February last, and that he had not made any arrangement about the occupancy of the Sub Collector's bungalow at Dindigul during this period. But inasmuch as Mr. Bliss did not formally make the building over to the Range Officer to be rented or otherwise disposed of, the Controller, as will be observed from the enclosed copy of his letter, No. 98, of 9th ultimo, holds that Mr. Bliss is liable for the rent during the period the bungalow was vacant. Mr. Bliss takes objection to this as will be noticed in his letter, No. 513, of 29th December 1874, to the Range Officer, a copy of which is herewith enclosed.

2. Under these circumstances, I beg to submit the matter to the decision of the Government.

No. 550. ORDER THEREON, 23rd February 1875, No. 513.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 31.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Governor in Council observes that an officer for whom accommodation is provided by Government on payment of rent is liable for that rent during the entire period of any absence on privilege leave during which he draws the full pay of his appointment.

(True Extract.)

G. W. Walker Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Madura.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" Revenue Department.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

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House-rent. — Passing orders on the subject of the rent due by Mr. Bliss for the Government bungalow at Dindigul for certain days in January and February 1874.

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Comm. to the Board of Revenue

Q. M. L.
25 Feb 75